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In re Application of: Bassel BEIDAS et al.

Application No: 09/768,726

Filed: January 24, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACQUIRING
A SYNCHRONIZATION SIGNAL

Art Unit: 2667

Examiner: MURPHY, Rhonda L.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for ___ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

The fee for claims is calculated below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 -	12 =	0 x	\$ 200.00 =	\$	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			N (Y/N)	\$ 360.00 =	\$	0.00
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